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Local News!

NORTHAMPTON LOSES.

Another Game to the Credit of the North Adams Baseball Team.

The North Adams team went to Northampton Tuesday and played the Association team in that city. The North Adams men won the honors as usual and has left another aspiring set of ball players wondering what kind of pitchers and pounders they keep in the Tunnel city. The North Adams boys played with the Northampton team until the sixth inning when it was thought time to pitch in and win. McCann was a puzzle to the locals, but the hits got off him were fortunately bunched.

North Adams	r	b	po	a	e
Scharf, 2b,	0	0	0	4	1
Drew, m,	1	1	1	1	0
Reidy, l,	1	2	0	0	2
O'Brien, ss,	1	1	3	1	0
Dooley, 1,	1	1	13	0	1
Sullivan, 3,	1	1	1	3	0
Mahoney, r,	1	0	3	0	0
McCann, p,	0	1	1	2	0
Summers, c,	1	2	5	1	0
Totals,	7	8	27	12	4

Northampton,	r	b	po	a	e
Tobin, 3,	0	1	5	0	2
Ryan, 1,	0	0	6	0	0
Spooner, 2,	1	1	0	3	0
Dilts, s,	1	1	0	3	0
Burke, c,	1	1	4	2	1
Crooks, l,	2	2	1	0	1
Couch, r,	0	0	2	0	0
Carver, m,	0	0	5	1	1
Phelps, p,	0	0	0	3	0
Totals,	5	6	23	11	7

Innings,	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
North Adams,	0	0	1	4	0	0	2	0	0	7
Northampton,	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	5

Times at bat, North Adams 34, Northampton 33. Earned runs, Northampton 3. Total bases, North Adams 12, Northampton 7. Sacrifice hit, Couch. Stolen bases, Couch, Dooley. Two-base hits, Spooner, Dooley, Drew, Sullivan, McCann. First base on balls, Couch, Spooner, Drew. Struck out, Scharf, Drew, McCann, Carver 2, Couch, Burke, Dilts. Passed ball, Summers. Time, 1h 30m. Umpire, Coogan.

"Illustrated North Adams."

THE TRANSCRIPT force of special writers are busy at work preparing matter and taking photographs for its forthcoming edition "Illustrated North Adams and Vicinity." This work will be by far the most complete work of its kind ever put out by a Massachusetts city, Boston alone being possibly excepted. It will cover thoroughly by illustration and descriptive account every important industry and every pretty scene in this vicinity and will be an adequate work which every citizen interested in North Adams will desire to send to his friends and others whose attention may be enlisted to the industrial and scenic attraction of the city.

All those who have views or pictures of street scenes, residences, or works of nature in and about the city, which they desire published in this extensive and elaborate work are asked to submit them at this office for the approval of the editors in charge. THE TRANSCRIPT realizes its responsibility and the great importance of having "Illustrated North Adams", complete and perfect in every detail. Prominent citizens already seen are with one accord entering heartily into the project. This unanimity assures complete success.

James Chrystal left for Albany, N. Y. this afternoon where he will take the examination for entrance to Harvard law school.

Thomas Boyd and Harrison Millard will leave Thursday for a trip to Springfield on a tandem bicycle.

W. H. Arnold will sail from New York Saturday on the Lucania. He will be one of the party with E. S. Wilkinson and family.

The marriage of W. W. Darby and Miss Lydia M. Pierce will occur this evening at the home of Charles E. Whitney on Church street.

*Good smokers know that the "Monogram" is the highest grade 10c cigar in the city. Ask for it. J. F. CONLON.

*The Foresters know a good thing when they see it. They will sell exclusively at the fair grounds at their field day next Monday the "Western Gateway" and "Alderman," Flaherty's fine hand-made and home-made 10 and 5-cent cigars.

*Smoke Flaherty's "Western Gateway" and you get the best 10-cent smoke.

Local News!

Beardsley--Grinnelle.

A quiet but very pretty home wedding took place Tuesday evening at 66 Holden street, when Miss Laura Grinnelle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Fisher, was united in marriage to Frank Beardsley. The ceremony was performed at 7 o'clock by Rev. W. L. Tanney in the presence of about 30 relatives and intimate friends of the bride and groom, who stood under a large floral horse shoe while the words were pronounced which made them husband and wife. The house was tastefully decorated with flowers and ferns. The bridesmaid was Mrs. Charles Lynn, a sister of the bride, and the best man was Charles Harrington. The bride wore a gown of novelty goods trimmed with lace and green ribbon and carried a bouquet of pinks.

Following the marriage ceremony a collation was served and the bridal pair departed on the 8 o'clock train west for a brief wedding tour. They will begin housekeeping soon after their return.

Mr. Beardsley is an employe of the Berkshire Electric company and is well known in town as a capable, industrious and worthy young man. His bride is highly esteemed by a large circle of friends and acquaintances, all of whom join in wishing the deserving young couple many years of prosperity and happiness.

Many elegant wedding presents were received, the list including a dining-room set from Oneco lodge, I. O. O. F., and a dinner set from the employes of the Berkshire Electric company.

District Court.

The following cases were in court this morning:

The state agent was present to consider various cases. Those against William M. Quinlan and Myron H. Benton, boys charged with breaking and entering, were further continued to September 1.

The continued case against Arthur Lamone, who pleaded guilty to the charge of being a stubborn child, was again continued, the hearing being set for July 30.

Rose E. McDermott, the 15-year-old Pittsfield girl who was found in company with four young men the other night and arrested, was charged with night walking and lewdness. The latter complaint was filed away and the former was continued to July 30.

Napoleon Blondin's case for non-support was continued to July 14.

Carrie I. Daniels was charged with the larceny of a gold watch, ring and chain from Charles H. Comfort. On this complaint she was discharged, but she was held in $200 bonds for the superior court on the charge of adultery with Comfort, who was held in like bonds on a similar complaint.

John Chenette was up for interfering with an officer. He interposed when Sheriff Moloney was serving papers on another man and was fined $15 for the offense.

John Reagan, drunk, case continued to July 14.

Warren Barney, drunk, continued to July 7.

William Douglas, drunk, fined $5.

A Fine Specimen.

This morning as Dr. Mignault was driving toward Williamstown on the old road to Williamstown a mud turtle in the road attracted his attention and he jumped from his carriage to examine it. It proved to be a snapper with a large green shell. It will weigh about 15 pounds, is a fine specimen, and will be placed on exhibition in Simard's drug store on Bank street.

An Error.

Through a confusion of names it appeared in Tuesday's TRANSCRIPT that C. H. Tumey of the North Adams Brick Co. was badly burned Tuesday when it should have appeared that it was an employe of Mr. Tumey who met with the serious accident. The man so badly scorched is at the hospital yet in a dangerous condition.

*Get all kinds of fireworks at Hourahan's, 41 Holden.

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Largest and finest stock of Fireworks and Noise-makers for the

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BY TELEGRAPH.

Y. P. S. OF C. E. TRAINS

Collide, and Death and Disaster Result Today at Vandalia and Chicago.

Chicago, Ill., June 30.—Three persons were killed outright and 30 persons injured in a rear-end collision on the Chicago & Northwestern railroad at 1.45 o'clock this morning at West Chicago, 33 miles out of Chicago on the Galena division. The dead are: John Goddington of Appleton, Wis., Mrs. R. Shipman of Appleton, Wis., and an unidentified man riding between the engine and baggage car, supposed to be a tramp.

The victims of the collision were Christian Endeavor delegates who left Chicago last night enroute for the great convention in San Francisco. The colliding trains were sections numbers 4 and 5 of Christian Endeavor specials sent out in nine sections, beginning at 10.30 p. m. Section 5 ran into section 4 which left Chicago 15 minutes ahead of it. Section 4 carried the Wisconsin delegates, nearly 500 strong and in the rear sleeper were people from Fon du Lac, Green Bay, Appleton and other Wisconsin cities.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 30.—Train 11 on the Vandalia railroad which left this city at 7 o'clock last evening, containing a large number of Christian Endeavorers collided with train No. 6 bound east from St. Louis at 8 20 o'clock near Vandalia. J. J. Turner, general manager of the Vandalia road has telegraphed the following statement to this city:

Killed, E. T. Sheehan, mail clerk on No. 6, Indianapolis, W. P. Coon, baggage master on No. 11, Indianapolis; fatally injured Samuel Perkinson, mail clerk, Columbus, crushed in the wreck, Frank Owens, fireman, of Terre Haute, mangled under the engine.

Train No. 11 left Indianapolis in two sections on account of the heavy San Francisco travel occasioned by the national meeting of the Christian Endeavor society. Orders were given to meet No. 6, the extra east bound passenger train, at Vandalia, the trains being due to meet at that place about 1.30 o'clock this morning. It seems from the best information obtainable that the west bound train pulled out of Vandalia without waiting for the train from St. Louis. The headlight of the west bound train was extinguished for some time before the crash came. No passenger on either of these trains was injured.

Coach Lehman Gets a Degree.

Cambridge, June 30.—The following honorary degrees were conferred at Harvard college today: Master of arts—Caleb B Tillinghast, formerly librarian at Harvard, Franklin W Hooper, secretary of Brooklyn Institute, Charles E Faxon, botanist; August St Gaudens, sculptor of Shaw memorial, Rudolph C Lehman, coach of Harvard crew; Doctor of Divinity, Rev Charles Cuthbert Hall, Union Seminary, New Haven, Rev John Watson, (Ian Maclaren) was given an honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity by Yale today and Capt. Alfred T Mahan, U S N, Doctor of Laws.

HELD FOR THE MURDER

New York, June 30.—There is no longer any doubt about who was the man murdered and cut up in this city. He was William Guldensuppe a rubber in the Murray Hill baths.

Herman Nack, husband of the midwife who had been living with William Guldensuppe has been placed under arrest in connection with the alleged murder of the rubber-down. Mrs. Nack has been positively identified as one of the two women who purchased a piece of oil cloth identical in pattern with that in which, it is alleged, the two portions of the body of Guldensuppe were wrapped.

Local News!

BLACKINTON.

Miss Mary Dante of East Worcester, N Y., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Philander Howland.

Mrs. William Uncles left this morning for a visit with friends in Maynard and Providence, R. I.

Miss Lena Gove is enjoying a vacation at Ticonderoga, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Eadie and daughter left this morning for a week at Plymouth and Harwich.

President Pomeroy of the Woolen company, was in town today on business.

The Father Mathew ball team will meet a team from the Y. M. M. I. at the field day to be given in Blackinton Saturday afternoon by the Y. M. M. I. society.

The following officers for the Y. P. S. C. E. were elected at the meeting held in Blackinton church Tuesday evening: President, Gideon F. Watts; vice president, Mathew Owens; recording secretary, Miss Jennie A. Blackinton; treasurer, Garfield Davis; corresponding secretary Miss Miss Minnie Brierley.

James E. Milner resigned his position as overseer of finishing for the Blackinton company this Wednesday evening. He is to be succeeded by Mr. Ranaahansen of Pittsfield. Mr. Milner has resided here for a year and a half and himself and family have made many friends who are loath to lose such good neighbors and citizens. Mr. Milner during his residence here has interested himself in all matters pertaining to the public welfare, being an active worker in musical and church matters. He is a member of St. John's church and choir of Williamstown and that church and this village will lose a member and resident whose place it will be hard to fill.

—These officials have been chosen to act at the Foresters' field day, July 5. Judges of the hose race, W S Jenks of Adams, George F Miller, and I Prindle of Williamstown; of the parade, Col F S Richardson. Edward Godfrey and Arthur Tinker. Edward Ryan will umpire the Renfrews vs. Dalton baseball game.

*The Metropolitan Market, 85 Main st, is the place to buy the best quality of meats at lowest prices.

CITY OF NORTH ADAMS.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS, CITY HALL, NORTH ADAMS, MASS., JUNE 30, 1897.

PROPOSALS.

Sealed bids for the building of abutments for the Main street bridge across the Hoosac river at North Adams will be received by the Commissioner of Public Works at the City hall until noon of Wednesday, July 7, 1897. Plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of the City Engineer on and after noon of June 30. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. JAMES E. HUNTER, Commissioner of Public Works.

AMHERST TRUSTEES.

Reported That Professor Morse Has Reconsidered His Resignation.

PRESIDENT GATES MAY LEAVE.

Intense Feeling Among Alumni Over the Question.

Amherst, Mass, June 30.—The committee appointed by the Amherst trustees to wait upon Professor Morse consisted of Williston Walker of Brattleboro, Vt., E. Willis James of New York and Charles M. Lamson of Hartford. While Professor Morse last night refused absolutely to say what course he should take, he admitted that he had made up his mind, and that he should communicate with the trustees today.

It has been learned that the trustees voted by a large majority to ask Professor Morse to withdraw his resignation and reaccept the full charge of the department of history, with the understanding that he should take up his work in September, 1898. Professor Grosvenor will continue to hold the chair of European history, and will have this department under him when Professor Morse takes full charge of the entire department.

At the meeting resolutions from various classes of the alumni, as well as from the graduating class, were read, urging the retention of Professor Morse. It is further understood that Professor Morse will accept the offer of the trustees, with the tacit understanding, however, that he shall not be hampered in the future by the admin stration, and that President Gates will resign in the near future.

The board of trustees appear to be thoroughly aroused, and will not allow the present condition of affairs to continue. An investigation on the part of the majority of the board has made them dissatisfied with President Gates. The excitement among many of the alumni who are here, while the trustees were in session, was intense, and but little was talked about except the probable outcome of the controversy. Many of the alumni, upon hearing of the action of the trustees and of Professor Morse, expressed themselves as satisfied.

Local News!

—Selectman F. N. Haskins and wife of Savoy are guests of R. A. Thompson.

—Elder A. H. Davis of Hoosick will speak again tonight at the Tent on Chestnut street.

—These officers of Oneco lodge were elected Tuesday evening: Noble grand, Frank Beardsley; vice grand, L. A. Germain.

—John Shea and Patrick O'Niel were arrested this morning for disturbing the peace. The men had an altercation on State street when Shea struck O'Neil in the face and sent him down, his head striking on the sidewalk, rendering him unconscious for some time.

American Week!

The United States is the only country with a known birthday. If there had not been any Independence Day, America would not have been nearly so great as it is.

This glorious birthday will be celebrated at **Cutting Corner** from June 29th to July 6th, and during this time you will be able to buy seasonable summery fixings for men and boys to celebrate the Fourth in.

Not the least of these attractions for men are our crash suits $4, 5, 6.50, and 8.50. Crash bike suits $4, 5, and 6.50. For boys, wash suits 50c, 75c, and $1, best $1.50 and 2. Straw hats and crash caps 25c and 50c. Good week to buy.

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Notice is hereby given that the copartnership heretofore existing between Frank J. Barber and R. A. L. Watson under the firm name of F. J. Barber & Co., is hereby dissolved by mutual consent.

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FRANK J. BARBER.
R. A. L. WATSON.
North Adams, June 28, 1897.

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Has arrived in North Adams and will remain until July 2 only. This lady is not to be confounded with ordinary mediums, and you will get more satisfaction from one sitting with her than if you went to a dozen others. She is undoubtedly the most remarkable woman that ever visited this country. Her callers say so, and who should know better than they who have readings with her? Wonderful though it may be,—she tells the full name of every caller. If you are curious or a skeptic, or a believer, it is all the same. Go and have a reading with her She will astonish you and send you away marveling at her strange powers. Consult her on love, marriage, children, sickness, death, friends, enemies, absent friends, law-suits, legacies, losses, gains, journeys, accidents, danger, pensions, divorces, buried treasure, inventions, investments, speculation, separation, business and all affairs of life. She brings separated together, restores lost affection causes speedy marriage with the one of your choice, and removes all difficulties from your path. She brings happiness to those who are disappointed and miserable, and success to those who are unlucky gives lucky days and numbers, tells you how to avoid dangers that threaten, how to overcome evil influence and conquer your enemies, and secures happiness and prosperity to the unhappy. Never makes mistakes in her predictions and never fails in what she undertakes. All business strictly confidential. Hours 10 to 8. Only ladies admitted. Satisfaction guaranteed by mail, and all letters containing stamps envelopes will be answered.

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I know not what record or sun awaits me in the other world, but I do know, that I never was so mean as to despise a man because he was poor, because he was ignorant, or because he was black.
—*John A. Andrew.*

MEMBERS ASSOCIATED PRESS.

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"WE HOLD THE WESTERN GATEWAY."

From the Seal of the city of North Adams.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, JUNE 30, '79

Advertisers in THE TRANSCRIPT are the best business men in this community. Their advertisements are worth reading, and they are the firms with whom to trade most advantageously.

UNJUST TO OUR RURAL DISTRICTS

There seems to be a fever of abuse of rural New England in all kinds of publications just at this time. The pessimistic writer seems to have found a field wherein he can revel. And he is indeed reveling where he has no business to do so, and THE TRANSCRIPT for one enters protest against this decrying of the very brawn and brains of New England.

We notice that the Atlantic Monthly for July has an article in which it is said of a Maine town, taken as a type, that the farm houses have a dreary aspect, the little settlement at the "Corners" is shabbier and poorer as the years go by. The "Orthodox" Congregational church is dilapidated and the newer Baptist church is a tasteless structure of the familiar gingerbread style.

"The orthodox church" says Mr. Sanborn, "as immutable in its methods as in its doctrines, is cold, unaggressive, self-righteous and contemptuous of everything religious or anti-religious that is not part and parcel of its tradition. The Baptist church; equally conservative in matters of doctrine, is nevertheless committed to sensationalism of method, and it is a poor year when it does not manage to produce at least one genuine excitement. It indulges in fierce and frequent tirades against free-thinking, worldly amusements and Sabbath-breaking, and, for purposes of edification, imports evangelists, Bible readers, leaders of praying bands, total abstinence apostles, refugee Armenians, anti-Catholic agitators, educated freedmen and converted Jews."

The Providence Journal takes up this howl and says that "anyone who is familiar with the typical hill town of New England will recognize at once the truth of this portraiture," and to exclaim, "what a barren intellectual feast the residents of such a community have spread for them year after year! In addition to these religious or semi-religious diversions they can look only to the sewing circle, the 'bean supper,' the occasional appearance of a cheap theatrical company at the town hall, and such desultory amusements in the way of 'parties' as their unimaginative minds may suggest, for social entertainment."

These pictures of a decaying rural life are not true of the rural life of Berkshire at least. Our country folk are still people of worth and enterprise and keep step with the world's advance. The people in the hill towns do not have all the advantages offered by the city. They have no street railways or sidewalks, or a public water service, but they are not degenerating into semi-barbarism by any manner of means.

The Fourth of July season opens on Saturday and continues three days.

Thomas C. Platt is now seen in his great act of trying to stem the Low tide.

The last day of June,—and may there never be another such June. The rarer the better.

Champion Fitzsimmons laughs at the idea of Sullivan training, but John L. is unusually sober about it.

The excitement at the naval review burst all bounds when the Prince of Wales' new style of hat was started.

Who can look at the mud and dirt on our unpaved streets and not hold up both hands in favor of paving?

The failure of congress to finish its work and go home will seriously interfere with the success of Fourth of July celebrations.

There was naturally great competition among the participating nations for the next jubilee, but the place has not yet been decided upon.

The discovery of many human bones in the excavations on Broadway goes to prove that the cable car is not such a modern institution after all.

Before the Cleveland polygamist was sentenced he made some touching remarks to his assembled wives in the court room. There was no opportunity for any curtain lectures.

The silver Republicans want the help of the silver Democrats in the next senatorial campaign in Utah. The white metal leaders tell the Democrats that it would be a great blow to the silver cause in the senate if Cannon is fired.

The Washington correspondents are hard to please. They are criticising Secretary Porter for having the white house employes uniformed. Under the last administration Secretary Thurber caught it for keeping the representatives of the press uniformed.

President Gates of Amherst is not in a pleasant position at present. Prof Morse of history fame has been sustained by the trustees in his contention that he was not treated in a proper manner by President Gates. Amherst college is being hurt by the row in its faculty, which is a matter for greatest regret.

"Buffalo Bill," or Col. William F. Cody, is the owner of over 1,000,000 acres of land located in the Big Horn Basin, east of Yellow Stone, and destined to be some-time thickly settled, as it is one of the most fertile of those wonderfully fertile tracts. This place near the Yosemite Valley opens a future prospect to the emigrant, who is anxiously looking westward. Cody, named in honor of the owner, is a flourishing town of 2000 people; is two or three newspapers, and coal mines that will make the barons of the East envious, only awaiting development at the will of their owner. There is, too, a branch of the Northern Pacific railroad in course of construction to this point. Truly Debs would find things almost ready made to his hand.

"Yes, no-license has injured my business!" This was the admission which was made by a Merrimack street dry goods dealer to a drummer one day this week. The admission coming from such a source has started much talk in local circles. It seems that the dry goods man has always been an earnest no-license advocate also. While the police have been making an active and vigorous crusade against illegal traffic they have been seriously handicapped owing to the numerous cider joints which are running at full blast. It is almost impossible to catch these places from the way in which the business is carried on, yet the police believe that they will be able to confine the dealers to a legitimate traffic. The cider business, however, is being carried on an extensive scale, and it is daily occurrence to see suburbanites bring cider into the city. Last evening one suburban manufacturer of cider had seven barrels on his team, and these were distributed among several local dealers.—Haverhill Gazette.

Mr. McKinley as president is winning golden opinions from all sides. Here is what the Mugwumpian Boston Herald says:—"We have always been desirous of finding a good President in William McKinley, and disposed to put the best construction upon the acts of his administration. Thorough partisan as he has been in public life before reaching the presidency, and greatly as we had differed from him in his views on important public questions, there is little difficulty in finding much to like in the man. He was conscientious and sincere; if not brilliant, he was studious and possessed of valuable experience in public life; he was always courteous and amiable in discussing public questions, and as near to being fair in his view as the obligations of public men to the respective parties to which they belong would admit. We had not very confident hopes of his broadening into greatness in the presidency, but we expected him to be a patriotic president in purpose, and useful in action as far as the limitations of his character would permit. In more than one respect, our best hopes of him have thus far been realized. There has been material in his inaugural address and in his first message to congress which was worthy of commendation and the spirit of both of them was excellent.

OUT-DOOR MEETING.

The Aurora Literary Circle Spends an Afternoon in Mission Park.

The Aurora Literary circle held its fortnightly Literary out-door meeting Tuesday afternoon in Mission park, Williamstown, 18 members being in attendance. The meeting was opened by singing a missionary hymn and the program included the reading of the poem "No Sects in Heaven," by Mrs. Lettie Warren, the poem, "Land of Ease," by Mrs. Carrie M. Childs, and articles on mission work by Mrs. J. B. Temple and Mrs. Fanny Isbell' the latter's being original. The program was very entertaining and was closed with a missionary hymn.

The organization holds meetings once in two weeks the year round and in summer several out-door meetings are held. This lends variety and the outings thus far held have been much enjoyed by the members. The next meeting will be held at Hoosac Tunnel the last Tuesday in July.

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STORIES OF THE STREET.

People are Talking About It On Every Corner.

It is sometimes an easy matter to fool the public, but you can't keep it up very long. They are sure to find you out; and every time a man is fooled another skeptic is made. Skepticism is allowable when reading in a home newspaper about some incident occuring in St. Louis, Mo., or Denver, Col., but the circumstances are entirely different when it refers to some one right here at home, friends and neighbors, people you know, whom you can see, and with whom you talk it over. This is the kind of evidence at the back of Doan's Kidney Pills—home statements by home people, and the astonishing local work they have been doing has caused more talk among our citizens than the doings of any other modern wonder. Read the following:

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Train Arrive From East—10.08, a. m. 12.10, 1 24, 5.00, 18.05, 11.46, c2.39 p. m.

From West—a11.37, 15.18 7.23, 9.53, 11.42, a. m., 1.10, 4.51, 5.55, 7.00 p. m., c11.10 a. m., c2.00, p. m.

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LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

—*Jacob Babb has moved* with his family to Pittsfield where he has secured a situation as gardener with James Johnson.

—Judge Slocum held an adjourned session of the probate and insolvency court Tuesday at Pittsfield and received final proofs of claims in the insolvent estate of Hiram B. Wellington of Pittsfield and C. F. Briggs & Co. of this city.

—A meeting will be held at the Y. M. C. A. rooms in Pittsfield this evening to arrange for the relay race proposed by the association of this city. It has been heard in Pittsfield that the North Adams association will put the very best men in the race and Pittsfield and vicinity is being scoured for riders.

Town Talk.

Wheels at Cut Prices.

People who know anything about wheels are not interested in cut prices on cheap wheels or last year's out of date wheels, neither do they expect to get a bargain for cash at an installment house. Patton & Co., Bank street, buy and sell for spot cash only and will undersell all other dealers. You never before had a chance to buy Fowler's for less than $100. For the balance of this year we offer you new 1897 Fowler, men's and ladies' for only $40. Also celebrated Hunter bicycle for $35. The well-known Erie for $42.50. Veeder cyclometers 90c. Best foot pumps 50c. Vim tires $3.50 each. Hartford tires $4 each. Bells half price. Patton & Co., Bank street.

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*Another proof of the popularity of Flaherty's fine 10-cent cigar the "Western Gateway" and nickel cigar "Alderman." The Foresters at their great annual field day at the Hoosac Valley fair grounds on July 5 will sell these cigars exclusively.

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READY FOR BURDETT.

The Transcript Names its Base Ball Team for the Game with The Furniture Trade on the "Glorious Fifth."

Preparations for the exciting base ball game next Monday morning, July 5, at Lawsonian field between THE TRANSCRIPT workers and the furniture trade of the city are nearing completion. That is, they are as far as the crack team of the newspaper is concerned. They will be on hand bright and early on the morning of the "Glorious Fifth" clothed in their might and their batting (not cotton) clothes. They may await in vain the coming of their timid opponents of the furniture craft, but they will await in all the consciousness of their prowess. The pen will not be mightier than the sward upon which they will contest honors at base ball and demolish the hauteur of Mr. Burdett's invalids and cripples. Hence all visitors will be admitted to the sward within the without money and without price.

While Mr. Burdett has not yet publicly approved of the conditions, rules and regulations for the game as proposed by this paper a few days ago, there is no question that the eminently proper and fair fielding rules suggested by the paper players will be accepted and that there will be no loop-hole through which the furniture trade's alleged players can honorably escape.

The Hoosac Valley Street railway will run a special ambulance car from the grounds to carry as many of the disabled furniture trade players as it will accommodate. This is by special thoughtfulness of President C. Q. Richmond.

THE TRANSCRIPT Perfectionists and Expert Baseball Manipulators will be in the various points as follows: Catcher, Zimmer Powers; pitcher, Klobedanz Hurdman; short stop, Hugh Jennings Rowe; 1st base, Old Anse Fairfield; 2nd base, Fred Pfeffer Joy; 3rd base, Patsey Tebeau Torrey; left field, Delehanty Finnegan; center field, Van Haltren Andrews; right field, Sockalexis John Martin. Innumerable substitutes. A legion of "rooters." A horde of supernumeraries. Red lights.

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Donors and Donations Contributed During the Month of June.

The Saturday basket at the hospital for the month of June were filled as follows:

June 5—Mrs. W. A. Gallup, 7 chickens, new potatoes, tomatoes, lettuce, 3 boxes cocoa, 1 bottle salad oil, 1 bottle olives, graham wafers, vanilla cookies, chocolate, oranges, lemons and 6 quarts ice cream.

June 12—Mrs. George F. Simpson, soup meat, 2 roasts of beef, 6 heads lettuce, 1 dozen cucumbers, 2 boxes gelatine, 2 bottles olives, 2½ dozen bananas, 2 dozen lemons, 3 boxes strawberries, tapioca, crackers and cheese.

June 26—Mrs. F E. Swift, 5 fowl, new potatoes, 12 bunches asparagus, onions, 2 packages chocolate, 3 boxes cocoa, 4 cans peaches, 2 packages seedless raisins, 2 packages tapioca, 1 bottle catsup.

For the Month.

The donations for the month of June were: Mrs A W Hunter, 3 aluminum saucepans; Fannie Whitney, flowers; Mrs S W Brayton, 1 jar pickles, 1 jar chow-chow; Miss Tyler, 3 baskets strawberries, 4 pounds butter, and flowers; Mrs F A Pearson, milk several times; A Friend, flowers; Jamie Whitelcy, flowers; C E society, Congregational church, flowers; A Friend, crate of strawberries; Mrs W A Gallup, 3 tumblers orange marmalade, 6 cans asparagus, 9 cans lima beans, 5 cans corn, 20 cans pickles, 7 cans tomatoes, 9 cans fruit, 4 cans fish and one of salad dressing, Dorothy Gallup, flowers; Mrs. F E Swift bottle of claret; Mrs W G Cady, nine baskets strawberries; Mrs C H Read, one pillow, two pillow slips; Miss Mangie Pike, magazines and paper dolls; A Friend, two under vests; Mrs George F Simpson, six tumblers jelly; Mrs C H Read, jar chow-chow, Mrs S B Dibble, cherries; Mrs J C Tebbetts, $2; Mrs C A Humphrey, $1.80; Mrs Howes, old linen; Mrs W H Sperry, receipted bill of $1.99.

FATHER TIME'S FAMILY.

The Presentation of a Cantata By Baptist Young People.

The cantata "The Happy Family of Father Time" by Charles H. Gabriel was given in fine style Tuesday night by about 50 young people of the Baptist church. The cantata was under the auspices of the Junior Baptist Young People's union and was highly creditable to that very active society. It was presented under the direction of Miss Lizzie Spencer, who labored devotedly to have the production the success it was. Miss Maud Blanchard was pianist. Rev. Mr. Spencer, himself, took much interest in the cantata.

The costumes were very pleasing and the stage setting most agreeable. The work of the little artists was very good. The choruses were sung with spirit and were very much helped by the invisible, adult voices. On the whole the presentation was equal to anything of its kind attempted in the city and surpassed some about which much more had been said. Those who took part were:

Father Time, W L Spencer; Monday, Blanche Fillebrowne; Tuesday, Jessie Conrad; Wednesday, Gail Powers; Thursday, Amy Robinson; Friday, Bessie Moore; Saturday, Lizzie Davis; patience, *Vera Darling*; *love*, Susie Temple; hope, Goldie Chesebro; duty, Eva Price; thief of time, Bessie Mabbett; chorus of days, Susie Gallup, Grace Whitbeck, Julia Jewett, Mabel Beals, Annie Atwood; chorus of hours, Christina King, Nettie Mabbett, Bessie Jewett, Esther McKee, Frankie Merrill, Helena Davis; chorus of minutes, Rosie Moore, Gertrude Stiles, Susie Hayden, Bella McKee, Ida Cheesbro, Ethel Hakes; sewing circle, Lena Hollis, Esther McKee, Grace Malloy, May Formhalls, Edith Day, Grace Stiles.

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AT ADAMS TODAY

Anniversary Celebration.

George Sayles post, G. A. R., fittingly celebrated its 27th anniversary in Grand Army hall Tuesday evening. Although the weather was unpleasant yet 100 people were present and when one entered the hall all thoughts of outside were dispersed by the sight of tables arranged in banquet form and covered with viands of all kinds. These were furnished by the associates and served by the Woman's Relief corps. When all had satisfied their appetites an informal program was announced. W. B. Plunkett in a gracious speech presented the post with a book in which is to be written the record of the post. Commander Mole received it in behalf of the members. C. F. Sayles also made the post a present in the gift of a torn and tattered flag, which had floated from Gen. Grant's headquarters before the surrender at Appomatox. It was received by Mr. Mole who thanked Mr. Sayles and said it would have its place next the flag taken from the Cumberland and given the post by Comrade Welch. Letters of regret were read from Senator George P. Lawrence and Mrs. Burdick of North Adams. E. E. Phelps read a history of the post, telling how hard it had been to organize. It was formed with 28 charter members, only four of whom are dead. During its existence the post has paid out $1200 in charity. At present there are 84 members and 110 associates. Commander Tower of North Adams then contributed his usual pleasant remarks and J. C. Chalmers, D. D. Bowen, E. W. Streeter, Rev. H. B. Foskett, A. B. Foskett, W. B. Green and Rev. R. M. Higgins of Grand Rapids, Michigan, added speeches especially appropriate to the occasion. The Vaudeville quartet of New York sang and one of the pleasantest events ever held by the post closed about 11.30 o'clock.

Teachers Re-elected

At a meeting of the superintendent of schools and the school committee, the following teachers were re-elected. High school, Principal John C. Hull, Marjorie S. Wellington, Celia M. Richmond, Angie M. Sayles, Isabel S. Burton and Eva L. Cook; supervisory teachers, Charles M. Campbell and Nellie E. McNulty; Liberty street, Principal A. W. Smith, Lucy G. Burt, Anna E. Russell, Anna Harmon, Ida M. Foster, Carry C. Dewel, Mary G. Shea, Renfrew, Principal Melville A. Arnold, Edith M. Marsh, Ellen V. Ryan, Minnie E. Hughes, Susan F. Whipple, Estella A. Wood, Isimiah E. Kelly and Rose G. Sherry; Commercial street, Principal T. K. McAllister, Susan Phillips, Anna I. Crandall, Irene R. Whipple, Mary G. Donna, Millie J. Anthony, Serena B. Adams; Hoosac street, Principal Phoebe Berlingame, Mary A. McGrath, Rose E. Bowe, Mary A. Gavin, Mary A. Roche and Mary E. Raidy; Zylonite, Principal Margaret C. Ferguson and Carrie B. Fifield; Maple Grove, Principal Sarah A. Phillips, E. Lillie Fuller and Mary C. Kling; East Renfrew, Jennie L. Gurney; Bowen District, Elizabeth Hathaway. The above are as stated re-elected, not assigned, and it is probable changes from the old order will be made. It will be noticed that Miss Nellie McNulty has been appointed music teacher in place of Mrs. Burton who is now teaching in the high school. Thus there is a vacancy at No. 6 Commercial street and two vacancies at Renfrew, having been made so by the resignations of Mrs. Lillie and Laura M. Branch.

Another Band Concert.

No doubt the public will be glad to know that we will have another band concert on Centre street Thursday evening by Lafayette band. It is their first of the season, they having been delayed by several of the members who had orchestral engagements. The program is prepared by Leader John Bordeleau and is as follows:

March—Alumni,	Van Baar
Overture—Breeze of the Night,	LaMothe
Piccolo Solo—Canary Polka,	Cox
R. Cliff	
Master Miner,	Zeller
Fantaisie—America,	Tobani
March—Bombasto,	Farrar

Runaway Averted.

A runaway was averted Tuesday evening by the alertness of Dr. H. A. Smith. L. J. McCulloch had left his horse standing in front of Collins' block on Center street. Some tables were being carried to the G. A. R. Hall when one of them which lay against a stone post fell over and struck the horse. He became frightened and started to run but was just stopped in time by Dr. Smith, who made a fine catch.

Turkey Supper and Dance

The members of the white side, who lost in the Father Mathew Temperance membership contest have engaged John Hammond to serve a turkey supper for the victors in Father Mathew hall Saturday evening. After the supper a dance will be held.

Attended a Reception at Cheshire.

Misses Kittie White, Janet McLaren, Mabel Fairfield, Susan Streeter, T. F. Cassidy, John McNamara, Charles Phelpin, George A. Mole, Edward Brown and F. A. Richmond attended an alumni reception at Dean's hall in Cheshire Tuesday evening. Palmer's orchestra furnished music and F. D. Field was prompter.

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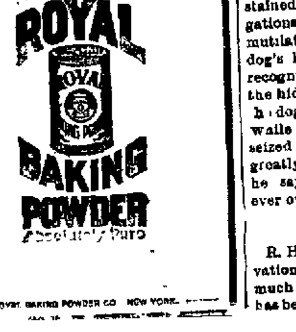

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Hand Ball Games.

Several exciting games of hand ball were played at Howland Terrace court Tuesday afternoon between Cornelius Murphy and Richard O'Brien vs. James Ryan and Thomas Gorry, all of North Adams. The latter couple won.

McBride Will Pitch.

Peter McBride, who has been pitching for the Belfast, Me., team, will be in the box for the Renfrews at North Adams, July 5, when they will meet the Daltons, who have not as yet been defeated.

Peter P. Smith has received his official commission as postmaster. He will assume his duties July 1.

John Sullivan is home from Arlington, N. J.

C. R. Karner accompanied his wife on the Y. P. S. C. E. excursion to San Francisco, Cal. His position at the local express office is being filled by Howard Bucklin of Springfield.

Clam chowder supper at the Congregation house and at Trinity Methodist church the regular supper with cake and ice cream, will be served.

Mrs. Mary F. Shaw, wife of the register of probate, and Mrs. H. L. Harrington, were special guests Monday at the superior court at Pittsfield, having made the visit to acquaint themselves with legal proceedings.

Many from this town attended the meeting of the grand lodge of A. O. U. W. officers at Pittsfield Tuesday evening. The grand lodge degree was conferred upon Henry R. Fiddler of this town.

The regular meeting of the St. Jean Baptist society will be held Thursday evening.

W. S. Jenks of this town will be one of the timers in the racing events at North Adams July 5.

David Kevlin is in charge of one of his brother's lunch carts at Great Barrington.

Mrs. William Fitzgibbons of Fitchburg is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Duggan at Zylonite.

SAVOY CENTRE.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bliss are taking a carriage drive to Easthampton to visit her sister, Mrs. Philo Simmons and her family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bliss returned from a ten days' visit at the Maples in Rowe last week.

Henry Theriault of North Adams is boarding at Milon A. Bliss's.

Mrs. Russell Tower and her children of Adams visited her father, S. T. Cains, last week.

Mrs Fred O Weaver who is visiting in this section from Marengo, Ill., has gone to Pownal, Vt., to visit relatives for a few weeks.

A. E. Bliss and wife spent three days at Leonard McCullock's in Adams recently.

Mrs. Frank B. Ford and Mrs. A. J. McCullock went last Tuesday to John L. McCullock's in Adams to congratulate them on the arrival of a little daughter the 18th.

Robert Harris has taken a job of peeling bark for H. J. Arnold of Adams and commenced June 22.

WILLIAMSTOWN.

Very Fast Time--A Neat Barber Shop--John McLane Returns to Town--Dog Killed by a Bear--A Family of Skunks Captured.

Family of Skunks Captured

Thomas Fowler and his son Marshall of East Main street recently discovered that there was something besides poultry in their hen house and a trap was set. A large skunk was caught and a short time thereafter another was found dead in the spring when the son went to water the horse. This, however, did not exhaust their stock of fur-bearing animals, for later five young skunks were found and captured alive. They are about half grown and are very amusing. The skunks are kept in a box and are doing well. They relish meat and are rapidly growing tame. The little fellows still miss their parents and a night or two ago when Mr. Fowler happened to be out of doors he found them slowly traveling around in the box single file and whining like young puppies. Mr. Fowler struck the box with a stick and his pets immediately hustled into their nest and stopped their noise. Mr. Fowler has not yet decided what he will do with these interesting creatures. He has thought some of contributing them the menagerie at Hoosac Valley park, but fears that as they become further developed they might prove troublesome if not properly handled. In the meantime he finds an advantage in separating his fur-bearing from his feathered stock and is endeavoring to complete the operation by capturing the others of the litter which he believes are still at large about his premises.

His Dog Was Killed.

On Tuesday of last week John Barney Wright started out to visit his wood lot in the Forks. He was not out for game and carried no gun, but his old hunting dog followed him. As Mr. Wright was about to return home the dog left him and plunged away into the woods barking furiously. Mr. Wright knew by the savageness of the dog's bark that he was after game of some kind, but, supposing he had simply treed a hedgehog or a coon, he went on his way thinking the dog would overtake him before he reached home. But the dog never showed up and last Monday Mr. Wright went to the woods again to see what he could discover. He went to the place where he had heard the dog barking so furiously and found the ground all torn up in several places and stained with blood. Pursuing his investigations he soon came upon the dead and mutilated body of his trusty old dog. The dog's head was chewed almost beyond recognition and there were long rips in the hide on his body. Mr. Wright believes his dog found and attacked a cub and that while he was thus engaged the old bear seized upon and finished him. Mr. Wright greatly regrets the loss of his dog, which he says was one of the best hunters he ever owned.

A Neat Shop.

R. H. Lansing has completed the renovation of his barber shop, which is in much better order than ever before. It has been neatly painted and papered and all the furniture is new and up to date. The chairs and tables are of oak as is also the dressing case, which is supplied with French plate mirrors. The shop lacks nothing which can contribute to the ease and comfort of patrons, and is not surpassed in appearance by any in Northern Berkshire. Mr. Lansing has been in business in this town for 25 years and has been very successful.

Very Fast Time.

Z. F. Beverly states that Daylight, the pacer he recently sold in the eastern part of the state for $2,500, has since paced an exhibition mile in 2.08. Mr. Beverly has two more young horses which he is developing and from which he expects favorable results. One of them, a four-year-old gray, he drove a mile on the fair ground track a day or two ago in 2.37½.

Is Home and Well.

John McLane, who was shot by an officer in Connecticut while resisting arrest a few months ago, and whose wounds were supposed to be fatal, has recovered, and returned to this town apparently in good health.

N. H. Sabin took a party on a ride to Stamford and over the Dome Tuesday in McMahon's tally-ho driven by William Drew.

A. A. Belding is at work again, though not entirely recovered from the lameness with which he has suffered for many weeks.

Michael Welch of McMahon's livery, who took E. C. Gale and party to the snow hole Monday, reports the road on the top of the mountain leading from the highway to the snow hole badly obstructed. Trees have fallen across it in many places and the drive for about four miles was rather uncomfortable. The place was reached in safety, however, and plenty of ice and snow were found.

Hon. Henry A. Adams and bride of Rockville, Conn., John Adams, Rev. Dr. Zahner and Mrs. John Adams, Jr., of Adams were at the Sand Springs Monday and Tuesday. They are about to take a drive to Rockville, Conn. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sayles of Adams were also at the Sand Springs Tuesday, and among the recent arrivals is Walter Reed of Providence, R. I.

The Aurora Literary circle of North Adams visited Mission park Tuesday afternoon.

The Cosmopolitan club had a jolly good time at its entertainment Monday evening, which closed the season's series. The jubilee singers enlivened the occasion with vocal and instrumental music, games were enjoyed and the event was a very happy one in all respects.

A. A. Belding will give a dance in his large new blacksmith shop near Cole avenue this evening.

A number of people from this town have been to North Adams to see the hypnotic work of the Flints, who are at the Columbia opera house all this week, and were greatly pleased with the entertainment. It is probable that many more will go before the engagement closes.

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The Action Taken at Pittsfield Tuesday Night by French Clubs.

THEY AGREED TO ORGANIZE

The Delegates From North Adams. Adams and Williamstown and Their Position, A Union for Political, Educational and Friendly Advancement

Delegates repesenting the Franco-American clubs of Berkshire county met Tuesday night in Pittsfield to consider the advisability and desirability of consolidating for mutual helpfulness. The meeting was held in the rooms of the Pittsfield club and was attended by a large number of the Pittsfield members, and Edward Bisaillon, N. D. Giroux, R. Bennard, Edmund Vadner, Joseph Yon, G. Poirier, T. O. Goveibeau, representing this city; Rev. Fr. Marcoux, F. Loblanc, N. Hebert and F. Fortin, representing Williamstown and J. S. Bordeleau and Joseph Dupont representing Adams.

The matter of consolidation was freely debated and viewed from several standpoints. Rev. Mr. Marcoux spoke about it, urging it for a better understanding of each other, on the grounds of friendship and fellowship and on the grounds of education and naturalization.

The other speakers dwelt on the political advantages mainly. North Adams delegates showed what had been done in the way of organization in this city, how it had unified the voting French force, increased the education of the club's membership and caused a large number to be naturalized. Adams had a similar but not near so fine a showing to make. Those from Northern Berkshire who took part in the debate were N. D. Giroux, R. Bernard, Edmund Vadner and T. O. Goodbeau of North Adams; John S. Bordeleau of Adams and Rev. Fr. Marcoux of Williamstown.

The advantages of consolidation were so well set forth that it was decided to carry out the plan. A committe of three from each of the societies, Adams, Williamstown and Pittsfield, will meet with the North Adams society, July 13, to form a county union. Their plans will be perfected for systematic work in political, educational and other lines and the county will be looked over to see if there are opportunities to organize the club.

CONGREGATIONAL CLUB BANQUET

Held at Pittsfield Tuesday Afternoon. Congressman Walker Speaks.

The twentieth meeting and banquet of the Berkshire Congregational club was held Tuesday afternoon at the First church at Pittsfield and despite the rain the attendance was fully up to that of former years. Besides a goodly representation of members there were present a number of invited guests from different parts of the county. A large number of North Adams Congregationalists attended. A social hour was held from 4 to 5 o'clock, during which remarks on various topics were made. The speaker of the evening was Congressman Joseph H. Walker of Worcester, chairman of the national banking and currency committee of the national house of representatives. He spoke very interestingly, his remarks being given close attention.

The New Captain.

James Buckley has been chosen captain of the Father Mathew Athletic team. Mr. Buckley is a hard worker in the interests of his society and will do it honor and advance its interests.

*Biggest stock of fireworks for the Fourth. Hourahan's, 71 Holden.

DIVORCES GRANTED

An Adams Deputy Sheriff In the List of Separations.

MARTIN-TILTON CASE UNFINISHED

The Claims of Plaintiffs and Defendants. Both Seek to Prove Carelessness. A North Adams Wife Gets Absolute Divorce.

The superior court at Pittsfield Tuesday was occupied all day in the trial of the case of Frank L. Tilton, administrator of the estate of the late Ralph Martin of Savoy, against the Boston & Albany railroad company. The hearing occupied all day, and the evidence of the plaintiff was not finished until about 3 o'clock. The defendant road sets up that the young son of Martin, who was driving the team on the Park-street crossing at Adams, was careless in not watching out more closely for the train, and also maintains that the engineer used the customary warnings and that the flagman was at his post.

The plaintiff claims that the flagman was only seen first after the Martin team had left the bridge and was nearly on the track, and that the flagman being stationed there and the boy not seeing him out, took it for granted that no train was approaching, as he heard no whistle or bell. Also that from the boy's position in his wagon, the height of the girder of the old bridge and some trees along the track his vision was obstructed. Evidence tending to show the carelessness of the flagman, or speech of Adams people about it, by another witness was excluded by Judge Bishop. The defense will occupy a good share of the forenoon session today, and with the arguments and charge to the jury the case will well occupy the day.

The two cases against the Consolidated road growing out of the Kent snow-plow accident a year ago last winter, are set down for tomorrow, as there are many witnesses from the road who live in Connecticut. Both will be tried together.

Tuesday evening Judge Bishop heard the divorce cases of Lucy I. Barkley of North Adams against Robert Barkley of Mechanicsville, N. Y., for desertion and drunkenness; also the case of Louise Ruth O'Brien against William O'Brien of Adams for cruelty. Lawyer Beer of this city appeared for the libellants and the cases were uncontested.

Offerings of Our Merchants.

Well advertised popular prices are the salesmen that just now are selling goods for the merchants who advertise in THE TRANSCRIPT.

N. H. Arnold is selling lots of baled shavings.

Sideboards a specialty at Burdett & Co.'s.

The Boston store, W. J. Taylor, has some great hot weather specialties.

Fireworks for the Fourth at Gurney's.

The Crescents have ordered base ball suits of Barnard & Co.

Green & Waterman have a fine line of rattan goods which they advertise in today's paper

Saturday is bargain day at McNeill's Eagle street.

Weber Bros., advertise a real bargain in ladies shoes at 98c, that are worth $1.50.

Keating wheels at a big reduction by the Berkshire Cycle Co.

New Landlord.

Charles Butler of Schenectady, N. Y., is in the city giving the Hotel Brunswick on State street a thorough renovating and supplying it with new furniture. His daughter was recently married to John A. Buckley of this city, who has taken charge of the house.

There isn't a house

in North Adams that can show you such a variety of

Designs in Furniture

as I am offering. I exhibit photos of almost every conceivable style of Furniture, and allow you to select from samples the pattern of upholstering desired, and save you dollars in the bargain. Send me a card and I will call.

Robert Rawlinson, Jr. 132 RIVER STREET.

Summer luxuries

Don't think of going through this summer without certain needed articles, among which are a straw hat, a palm leaf fan, and a piece of rattan furniture.

Have as many pieces of rattan as your house and purse will permit, one is an essential, two will be a luxury. The cost is small; you can reach the borderland of luxury by this route very inexpensively.

There is no summer furniture like rattan; it is warmly associated with the period of youth; yet, like the man who blew his hand to warm it and his soup to cool it, rattan cools and warms alike; but its cooling mission brings it warmest praise.

Rattan furniture is light, but almost indestructible by ordinary wear; it is the cleanest of all furniture; it is the coolest; it is the most inexpensive, and, unlike any other, it harmonizes with all colors and styles of furnishings.

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STARTLING HYPNOTISM

Dr. Flint and His Expert Daughter at the Columbia Opera House.

ELECTROCUTED BUT DID NOT DIE

The Wonderful Hypnotic Sleep Now Illustrated in Weber Bros. Window on Main Street. Unlimited Fun At the Columbia Opera House.

The performance of the Flints Tuesday night at Columbia opera house in their hypnotic work was the best ever seen in this city and will be the standard in this section unless surpassed by Dr. Flint himself before he leaves these parts. The professional honors are divided between the doctor and his expert daughter, Miss Marina Flint.

The audience was very large Tuesday night and unusually enthusiastic. At times every person in the opera house were on their feet, shouting and laughing at the ludicrous acts on the stage at the suggestion of the hypnotists. At other times there was almost breathless silence because of the startling effects. The subjects were more numerous at the invitation of Dr. Flint than the evening before and the doctor had a better opportunity to show his wonderful skill. The subjects performed all conceivable antics unconsciously and wholly at the wil of the professor. Miss Flint compelled them to turn their coats inside out, to moan at an imaginary toothache, to take each other for town pumps and wash blood from their noses with the water they pumped. A fine experiment was the sending of a subject to put out a man's head supposed to be on fire in the audience and to make the same subject go out for a cow, which he drove on the stage where another subject milked her.

The thrilling event of the evening was the electrocution, in which Dr. Flint made his subject illustrate all the contortions and muscular straining of a condemned man in the electric chair and the deadly current pulsing through his frame. The subject convulsed terribly, became extremely rigid, his face and extremities became purple as in death and his hands and features were horribly distorted. His face was set in the death stare and he looked in every way as if he had died a tragic and revolting death. The subject suffered no ill effect from the experiment and is now watching his wife, who is the hypnotic sleeper now asleep in Weber Bros.' window on Main street.

Mrs. Delly's Sleep.

Mrs. Delley's strange sleep in Weber Bros.' show window has attracted much attention from the time she was placed there Tuesday night. She lies absolutely motionless, in strong contrast to the young man with whom a similar exhibition was given a year ago by Professor Lee.

At 10 o'clock this forenoon she was visited by Dr. Flint, who opened her mouth and moistened her lips and tongue with water and also moistened her eyelids to keep them from becoming too tightly stuck together. The jaw is rigid and Dr. Flint, who is a large and powerful man, had to exert his strength to open the lady's mouth. While he was caring for her Drs. Hobbie and McGrath were present by her side, with a TRANSCRIPT representative and several other invited spectators, all of whom, together with the crowd in front of the window were deeply interested. Examination showed Mrs. Delly's pulse to be 94, respiration 15 and temperature normal. Her breathing is very deep. She is absolutely unconscious and lies like a corpse, with the exception of the heaving of the chest by breathing and a very slight twitching of the eyelids due to the fact that in this hypnotic sleep her eyes are turned toward the top of her head instead of downward, as they would be in a normal sleep. A remarkable feature of this strange condition is that if the lady's arm be raised and held upright for a short time it becomes rigid and remains in that position like a post, and can only be returned to its place across her breast by vigorous manipulation. That this is by far the best exhibition of the kind ever given in this city is universally admitted.

Mrs. Delly and her husband travel with Dr. Flint and his company, and this is her 18th sleep of this kind. Dr. Flint makes no other experiment with her, as other work would to some extent interfere with her peculiar susceptibility to hypnotism in this form. Mrs. Delly is a fine looking woman of 23 years and weighs 120 pounds. Dr. Flint says she is gradually gaining in weight as a result of her hypnotic slumbers, which to her is their only objectionable feature, no other undesirable effects of any kind being noticeable.

There will be a great deal of interest in her awakening, which will take place on the Columbia opera house stage this evening, 22 hours from the time she was put to sleep.

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It is not only the biggest show you ever saw, but, moreover, the only big one coming this way this season. Its date in North Adams is Wednesday, July 21.

TO RANK OF MONSEIGNEUR.

Martinelli Announces the Great Honor to Very Rev. Dr. Conaty.

Mrg. Martinelli announced in New York last night at a dinner given by Rev. Fr. Justin of Manhattan college that he had received a cable from Rome that Very Rev. Dr. Thomas A. Conaty of the Catholic university at Washington had been elected by the pope to the rank of monseigneur. Fr. Connaty was one of the guests at the dinner and the announcement was a surprise to him and the other guests who were present when Mgr. Martinelli made the announcement.

Not Dead !

Only Hypnotised !

See her in our window !

The young lady, Mrs. Delly, was placed in our window in a hypnotic trance at the end of the Flints' amusing and instructive hypnotic entertainment last night and is now in our window.

Herbert L. The Flints Marina

(The eminent American hypnotists.)

She will be left there all day today, (Wednesday) without food or drink and with **scarcely a perceptible movement during the whole time.** She will be taken back to the Columbia Theatre, tonight (Wednesday) at 8 p. m. and awakened. We invite everybody to come and see. The Flints will be at the Columbia the entire week.

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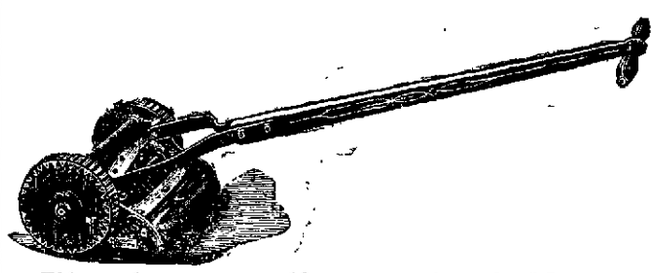

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UNITED WORKMEN CONVENTION.

Northern Berkshire Men Honored By Grand Lodge Degrees.

The annual convention of the Western Massachusetts lodges of the Ancient Order of United Workmen was held in Morrill's hall at Pittsfield Tuesday afternoon. The representation was unusually large. Delegates were present from this city, Adams, East Windsor, Lee, Housatonic, Dalton and Great Barrington. The lodges from the north part of the county arrived at 6 o'clock and were accompanied by Clapp's band which went with the North Adams delegation. There was a drizzling rain which interfered with the plan to have a street parade.

The Grand lodge degrees were conferred on these candidates: John Larkin of North Adams, W D Hill of Great Barrington, H R Fidler of Adams, John J Rice of North Adams, F X Z Poitras, W A Butler and E B Tyler of Pittsfield, E A Halle, Thomas Salter and K D Gahan of Dalton, W E Pierce of East Windsor, L L Graham of Great Barrington and W G Stillman of Adams. A proposed trip to Pontoosuc lake was prevented by rain, and at 6 o'clock a banquet was served.

The principal address of the convention was delivered by Past Grand Master Fred C. Ingalls of Boston. His remarks, aside from being of a congratulatory character, were confined chiefly to the growth of the organization. He laid special emphasis on the vast amount of benefits the members had derived from the order. It was shown that the order has been constantly gaining in membership and influence and that its prospects are brighter today than ever before.

The following grand lodge officers were present: G M W Louis C Merrill of Concord, N H, G F Edward F Danforth of Skowhegan, Me, G O Nathan Crary of Chicopee, G R Edward Burtt of Boston, G R Thomas Temple of Boston, G G Walter Leigh of New Haven, Conn, G I W Warren F. Sanborn of Lowell, G O W H K Colesworthy of Portland, Me, P G M W John C Gallagher of New Haven, Conn, and G M E W F Temple of Boston. The delegates and visitors declared their visit to Pittsfield to be one of the pleasantest they ever made.

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